

FARMERS AT THE SHORE.

GENERAL OBSERVANCE OF WATER DAY."

THOUSANDS OF AGRICULTURISTS FOLLOW AN OLD CUSTOM AND TAKE A DIP IN THE SURF-

FAKIRS DO A THRIVING BUSINESS. Spring Lake, Aug. 8 (Special).-With the thermometer flirting with the century mark, 2,000 Grangers and their families flocked to Wreck Pond. just below this place, to-day, and celebrated "Salt Water Day," a custom observed by the farmers for

the last fifty years. The tillers of the soil came from the interior of Monmouth, Ocean and Burlington counties. They began to come in at suorise and by noon the last straggler had arrived. The farmers drove directly to the beach, where they "staked out their claims" and prepared to enjoy themselves. The coming of the countrymen attracted hundreds of fakirs to the beach, and by noon the shore front resembled a big The venders of "rubber necks," sandcounty fair. wiches, pink lemonade, ice cream, clam chowder and milk shakes were legion. Most of them did business in tents, but not a few went to the trouble to erect sheds. The crooks were also out in full force and "thimble riggers," three-card monte men and owners of "sweat boards" raked in money hand over fist, from the innocent Grangers. By noon the cottagers and hotel guests from Long Branch, Asbury Park, Ocean Grove, Belmar, Spring Lake, Manasquan and Sea Girt began to pour in and at 4 o'clock there were fully 20,000 people on the

The farmers spent the morning in gossip, talking politics and crops and lounging on the beach. At noon the dinner bells were rung and horns were blown and they ate their dinner. Most of them spread their viands on the sand. They had an abundance of food, and the strangers were invited "to sit down and have a bite.

Dinner disposed of, the annual bath in the sea was indulged in. Some of the celebrants had provided themselves with modern bath robes, but a majority of them were their ordinary working clothes. There are no bathing houses on the beach, and the farm wagons were used instead, blankets niding the bathers from view while they robed and disrobed. At one time the bathers numbered fully two thousand.

After the bath, the rest of the afternoon was spent in trading horses, taking in the side shows, and drinking cider and applejack. Nearly every farmer had a jug of the latter stimulant in his wagon. There were a few fights, of course, but the day, as a whole, was a success. Just before dusk the traps were gathered up, the women folks and children were hurried into wagons and the hardy tillers of the land Manasquan, Aug. 8.—This is "Salt Water Day," a day that is looked forward to by the farmers with

day that is looked for much interest.

The farmers on arriving here put their wagons in the groves and then start out to enjoy themselves. The annual dip in the ocean took place in the afternoon and the rest of the day was spent in games. There were no disturbances.

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South Amboy, Aug. 8.—The farmers around here made extensive preparations for the celebration of "Salt Water Day," All the factories, shops and coaldocks stopped work, and the place put on its best hollday garb.

People for a radius of twenty miles around began to flock here at sunrise, lenging lunch baskets. The people congregated in the groves and picnic grounds, where they are their luncheon, and then spent a short time in amusements, after which all took a plunge in the surf in herer of the occasion.

ALLEGED KIDNAPPER ARRESTED.

HIS VICTIM, A FOURTEEN-YEAR-OLD GIRL, MAKES SERIOUS CHARGES AGAINST HIM.

New-Brunswick, Aug. 8 (Special).-Thomas Wilson, fifty years old, was arrested in this city last night by Detective Charles A. Oliver and Policemen Van Deursen and Ackerman on a charge of kid-Wilson, who is a man of good address, made the acquaintance of Mrs. Jennie Demarest about a year ago, when she was living with her sister, Mrs. Harriot Bethune, of No. 176 Comstock-Mrs. Demarest went to Cheesequakes last December to visit friends. While there Wilson called to see her. When he left Cheesequakes on December 31, Jennie Demarest, the fourteen-yearold daughter of Mrs. Demarest, accompanied Wil-son, who said he would bring her to Mrs. Bethune's home, where she expected to remain.

On the way to this city Wilson sold his horse and wagon, and left for parts unknown, taking the girl with him. In vain Mrs. Demarest tried to get some trace of her missing daughter. Several months ago she received a letter from Wilson stating that the girl had been frozen to death in Pennsylvania. The postmark on the envelope was illegible. Wilson came to this city, and called to see Mrs. Demarest last night. She engaged him in conversation, after having sent for Detective Oliver, who, with Policemen Ackerman and Van Deursen, made the arrest. Wilson admitted to Detective Oliver that he had lived several months in Johnstown, Penn., and that the girl had kept house for him. He denied that the girl had kept house for him. He denied that the girl was dead, saying that he had taken her to Cheesequakes, where she now is. To ascertain whether or not there was any truth in Wilson's story, Detective Housell went to Cheesequakes to-day to bring the sirl to this city.

He returned this evening bringing the girl with him. Miss Demarest told the officer that Wilson had treated her with great cruelty and had prevented her from writing to her mother. After she had made her statement the girl was committed to jail as a witness against Wilson.

A MILITARY CLAMBAKE.

OFFICERS OF NEW-YORK'S 7TH ENJOY A RHODE ISLAND SPREAD.

Long Branch, Aug. 8 (Special).—The commissioned officers of the 7th Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y. enjoyed an old fashioned Rhode Island clambake this afternoon at Price's Hotel, Pleasure Eay.

The officers, in command of Colonel Daniel Appleton, left New-York on the Sandy Hook boat at 1 o'clock. A special car conveyed them from Sandy Hook to North Long Branch, where General Edward Kemp had carriages in waiting to carry them to Pleasure Bay. It was 3:30 when the party reached their destination, and a half hour later the bake was uncovered, and the good things were placed on the table. The 7th Regiment Band furnished the music. The party left Pleasure Bay for home shortly before 6 o'clock.

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H. Kipp, A. W. Conover, Captain Harry Jansen,
Captain A. D. Nesbirt, Captain W. C. Fisk, Captain
George B. Rnodes, Captain George W. Rand, Captain Charles E. Lydecker, General Emmons Clark,
Colonel Worth, Captain James Allen, U. S. A.; Captain W. G. Weaver, Captain Waiter Schuyler, Captain Townsend, Commissory W. Meyers, Quartermaster J. G. Fisher, Lieutenant J. G. Schuyler,
Lieutenant A. E. White, Adjutant William Dale, of
Massachusetts, Judge Advocate Van Duzer and
Major Crocker, Inspector of rifle practice on General
Fitzgerald's staff.

A MURDERER'S SANITY.

PHYSICIANS QUESTION IT, BUT HE IS RATIONAL ENOUGH TO ESCAPE.

Elizabeth, Aug. 8.-Frank Freehill, the tramp who about a year ago shot and killed Special Officer Jewell, in Rahway, while resisting arrest, has escaped from the Morris Plains Insane Asylum, where he was confined. Several weeks ago Freehill began to act strangely in the State Prison at Trenton.

to act strangely in the State Prison at Trenton. For the murder of the officer he was convicted of murder in the second degree. His sentence was ten years' imprisonment and a fine of \$1,000. Shortly after his conviction in October last he was removed to the Trenton prison.

The physicians about two months ago noticed his strange actions, and after a careful examination pronounced him insane. He was removed to the State Insane Asylum. It is alleged that Freehill was not insane, but by a clever ruse made the physicians believe he was, as he knew it would be easy to escape from the insane asylum.

THREE WOMEN SAVED FROM DROWNING.

Long Branch, Aug. 8 (Special).-A fatal drowning accident was narrowly averted at North Long Branch this morning. Three young women, guests at the Sea Shore Cottage, while bathing got into a iea-puss and were carried out beyond their depth.

The women, who were unable to swim, cried for help, and five young men-Arthur Byron, F. Rus-rell, Carl Sullivan, Fred Karsch and Edward Nasch -rushed to their assistance and carried them ashore. The names of the young women are not known.

DEATH OF MRS. ROBERT ALLEN.

Mrs. Elizabeth Allen, wife of Robert Allen, a

fenly yesterday at Asbury Park. Mrs. Allen had been ill for two years, and, al-though she was treated by a number of specialists, none was found who could disgnose her ailment. She was about thirty-eight years old, and was prominent in church circles in Arington. The funeral will take place at the Arlington Presby-erian Church on Tuesday.

A PLUCKY MAYOR.

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OF NORTH ARLING-TON, HALF-DRESSED AND BAREFOOTED, PURSUES AND OVERPOWERS

TWO THIEVES. Mayor George Baylis, of North Arlington, chased three burglars over a mile of country roads and farm fields at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, clad only in his nightshirt and trousers. Two of the thieves were captured finally with a wagon-load of booty, which had been stolen from the McKernan of boys as happy as the 150 lads now in camp at & Birgin quarries, near the old copper mines in

Bergen County. The thieves were discovered by Henry Baylis, six years old, whose room faces on a lane running from the copper mine. He heard the trundle of the heavily loaded wagon, and at once called his father and his brother John. Mr. Baylis looked out of his and two from Hoboken, and at their head in all window and saw the wagon with three men in it | their marchings and parades is the Boys' Brigade

It would be a long hunt to find an equal number Boynton Beach. They constitute the First New-Jersey Battalion of the United Boys' Brigade, under command of Major Thomas P. Wightman, of

SUNDAY-SCHOOL SOLDIERS.

AT BOYNTON BEACH.

SERVICE-DEVOTIONAL EXERCISES AND

AMUSEMENTS THE FEATURES OF

LIFE IN THE CAMP.

Band, of Jersey City, led by Bandmaster Dou-

Jersey City, Captain Charles W. Laws, of the Ber-

gen Reformed Church; the 5th Jersey City, from

the West Side Methodist Episcopal Church; the 1st Hoboken, Captain H. P. Campbell, of the First

Presbyterian Church, and the 2d Heboken, Captain

George Mort Pollard, of the First Methodist Church. Acting as staff officers to the camp com-

mandant, Major Wightman, are Lieutenant F. M.

Brinkerhoff, adjutant; Captain J. R. Van Dyke,

paymaster; Captain H. P. Campbell, quartermas-ter, and the Rev. Dr. H. W. Beattle, of the First

The young soldiers are daily entertaining num-

hers of visitors of both sexes, but their special

guest is the Rev. Dr. Cornelius Brett, of the Ber-

gen Reformed Church, of Jersey City. In previous camps Dr. Brett has so endeared himself to the

boys that when he went to the beach to visit for

CALLERS ON THE YOUNG SOLDIERS.

one or two days they insisted that he should stay

with the n until they brenk camp on next Tuesday

afternoon. They named the principal camp street

Brett-ave, in his honor, and in the absence of the

chaplain, the Rev. Dr. H. W. Beattle, he acts in

last Tuesday morning. The salute was fired by a

detachment of regulars from Governor's Island,

who remained the greater part of the day and

drilled the battalion gun squad. The squad con-sists of ten of the larger boys, in charge of Ser-

geant Wolverton, and they are taking so much pride in their work, and doing it so well, that they

are envied by many of their fellow-soldiers.

How well the boys are cared for is shown in the fact that up to this time there has not been an accident of any kind and only one case of sickness.

and the victim of this one case gets little sympathy. He is the biggest boy in the battalion, and

was wirned against eating green apples which a

Methodist Church, of Hoboken, chaplain.

Jersey City Heights, Captain John F. Murch,



GENERAL VIEW IN THE CAMP.

ing his legs into the former ran downstairs. Captain J. R. Van Dyke, of the First Presbyterian John, his son, joined him a moment later in the wagon yard, where the Mayor's fast mare was of the Central Avenue Reformed Church; the 4th hitched to a light buckboard. They were soon in hot pursuit of the thieves. The sounds of pursuit caused the burglars to whip up their horses, but within a quarter of a mile they were overtaken.

"Step, or I will blow your heads off!" the Mayor shouted as he ranged alongside.

The thieves pulled up their horse, but as the wagon lest speed all three jumped into the bushes alongside the road, and were off instantly across a farm field nearly a half-mile long. Mayor Baylis and his son jumped after them without pausing. One of the thieves ran off toward a transverse road and was followed by John, while Mayor Baylis chased the others, who ran together. In the rough and stony field Mayor Baylis was at a disadvantage on account of his bare feet. When he saw that the thieves were leaving him behind, he began shooting over them. The men paid no atten-

saw that the thieves were leaving him behind, he began shooting over them. The men paid no attention, and the pursuer them took deliberate aim at the legs of one of the thieves, causing him to step instantly. Mr. Baylis is exceedingly powerful and he quickly tied his man hand and foot with the suspenders which in the chase had dangled from his trousers. The second man stole away while his confederate was being tied.

Meanwhile John had come up with his burglar, who had tried to craw through a barbed wire fence and had been caught fast. The man was fighting with the Mayor's son, when Mr. Baylis arrived with his captive. The thief desisted when the Mayor fastened his iron grip upon him. The two thieves were tied together and marched back across the farm fields to where the two wagons had been left. The thieves were put in their own wagon, and the party drove to the Mayor's home, where he completed dressing himself. Then he took his prisoners to the Kearny Police Station, where the two thleves were registered as Giuseppe Verrillo and Tony Berracco, of River-st., Newark. The wagon was loaded with machinery and tools belonging to McKernan & Birgin, valued at about \$400. Mayor Baylis said yesterday that the place had been robbed twice hefore. The two thieves were committed without ball.

This early morning capture is only one of many that Mayor Baylis has made in the last two years. About one year ago he caught four men with a wagon-load of stolen property, after a chase half-way across the meadows. He had a running fight of nearly two miles with the four men, in which about thirty shots were exchanged. He finally cornered the men at a ditch and brought the entire party in tied up in couples. Two months after that he had an hour's fight with a maniac, who had entered his chicken yard at 2 o'clock one morning. The maniac had a revolver and emptied it at Mr. Baylis before he was overpowered and bound. The maniac had a revolver and emptied it at Mr. Baylis before he was overpowered and bound. The maniac had a revolver a

THE SUMMER SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY.

A LECTURE ON ABRAHAM LINCOLN AT THE BEACH AUDITORIUM.

Ocean Grove, Aug. 8 (Special).—The Ocean Grove Summer School of Theology continued its sessions to-day in the Auditorium. The Rev. Dr. J. Agar Beet's lecture occupied the first hour of the day's work. He spoke to-day on "The Histor ical Revelation in Christ." Dr. Beet was followed by the Rev. Dr. J. C.

Dr. Beet was followed by the Rev. Dr. J. C. Van Benschoten, professor of Greek language and literature in Wesleyen University, whose subject was "Word Studies in the New Testament."

This afternoon was given up to rest and recreation. To-night the Rev. S. P. Cadman, of the Metropolitan Temple, New-York, lectured on "Abraham Lincoin." The preachers to-morrow will be Bishop Cyrus K. Foss and the Rev. Dr. S. F. Upham, of Drew Theological Seminary

THIEVES IN A POSTOFFICE.

THEY BLOW OPEN THE SAFE AND STEAL A LARGE NUMBER OF STAMPS.

Manasquan, Aug. 8.-When Postmaster White, of this place, went to the postoffice to begin business for the day this morning he was surprised to find everything in confusion. He saw that burglars had looted the place. They had effected an en-trance to the building by forcing the side window. The catch had been pried off, and then it was easy

When the thieves got inside they turned everything upside down. They went to work on the safe and blew it open, rifling the contents. The postmaster believes that they secured about \$200 in stamps and money. A number of wet blankets were found beside the safe. These had been stolen from nearby stables, and had been used to deaden the sound made by the explosion. No one was aroused by the explosion, and the thieves departed with their plunder without leaving any clew.

MRS. HERMANN RELEASED ON BAIL. Camden, Aug. 8.—Mrs. Mary Hermann, who drowned her two children, Edward and John, by throwing them into the Delaware on July 27, was released this afternoon on \$3.500 bail by Judge Vroom. The jury which investigated the drowning rendered a verdict declaring the mother to have been temporarily insane. The application for her release was made by Lawyer Scovel. Judge Vroom says she could not be convicted of murder in the first degree. She will, however, have to await the action of the Grand Jury, which meets next month.

SERIOUS RESULTS OF A RUNAWAY. John Bannon, of No. 23 Manning-ave., Jersey City, was driving in his buggy on the Boulevard Friday evening when the horse, affrighted by a wheelman who ran close to it, became unmanageable and ran

away. Bannon was thrown out and fell on the edge of the curbstone, fracturing six ribs and receiving serious internal injuries. He was removed to his home, and Drs. Dickinson and Parson were called. They declare that Bannon's condition is critical. BATHER DROWNED AT ATLANTIC CITY. Atlantic City, Aug. 8.-Samuel Warren, twenty-nine years old, of Philadelphia, was drowned here

With a party of friends Warren was bathing off Texas-ave. He swam out a considerable distance, when he was observed by the people on shore to throw up his hands in supplication for help, but before the lifeguards could get to him he had disappeared. His bedy was recovered shortly afterward.

THE ORANGE TEAM WINS. Orange, Aug. 8 (Special).-Those old-time enemies

the Orange Athletic Club and the Montclair Ath lette Club met yesterday on the Orange Oval. About 3,000 people were picsent. The game was exciting throughout, but Montclair was plainly outclassed. Star plays were made by Westervelt, Nichols, Thomas and Grey. The score:

ORITANI DEFEATS NUTLEY.

Hackensack, Aug. 8 (Special).-The ball game at Hackensack between Oritani and Nutley resulted as follows:0 0 0 1 3 0 0 1 4 0 11 2

and the victim of this one case gets little sympathy. He is the biggest boy in the battallon, and was wurned against eating green apples which a good-natured farmer had permitted a number of the boys to forage. On Friday evening he performed an involuntary cramp speciality called "doubling up" as a sequence to his voraciousness. Most visitors are agreeably surprised at the military precision which marks the camp routine. They go there expecting to find nearly all play and just a little work. Their eyes open wide when they see the picket lines, the guard relief, the tidiness of tents, the shining accountements, the battallon drill, the dress parade and so on to the end of the daily chapter. The person looking at the camp from a sufficient distance to hide the youth of the soldierly-clad figures could well helieve that it was an encampment of regular soldiers. Every detail of the day of regulars in camp is followed. The day begins with the musician's call at 5:30 o'clock, and then the calls go on through the day at the prescribed intervals, until "taps," which is sounded at 10 o'clock. The added features are the devotional exercises, lasting for thirty minutes from 7:15 o'clock in the morning, and the song service at 8 o'clock in the evening. Each company assembles in front of its captain's tent for the morning devotions, the captain talking on Bible subjects in an easy, conversational way. The song service in the evening is conducted by the chaplain, when the battalion gathers in front of the major's tent.

The liveliest boys in the camp are probably found in Captain Laws's command, the 4th Jersey City Company. They have had more experience in camp life than most of the others and have taken with them from their homes their musical instruments, baseball and tennis outfits, and therefore do no lack for amusement during the recreation hours. They have a string orchestra of their own.

This will be another busy day, so far as entertaining visitors is concerned, for the parents, brothers, sisters and friends of the

THE BLOW KILLED HIM. Nicolo Donaneno, who was struck on the head

with a shovel on July 25 by George Florence, died at the (Mty Hospital, in Jersey City, yesterday, The blow deprived Donaneno of consciousness, and he remained in a comatose condition until he died. Florence was arraigned yesterday for man cled. Florence was arraigned yesterday for man-slaughter, and committed to await the action of the Grand Jury.

Donanenc, who was sixty years cld, and lived at No. 500 Fourth-st, was gathering cinders at the dumping-ground. Florence was driving a cert, and drove so close that he almost ran over Donanenc, who attempted to strike Florence with an iron hook, and the driver felled the old Italian with the shovel.

DESPONDENT BUTCHER KILLS HIMSELF. Orange, Aug. 8 (Special).—Frederick Fuelling, a butcher at No. 30 Glebe-st., Orange, committed sul-cide this morning by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. He was in his usual spirits at breakfast time, and about 19 o'clock he told his wife that he was going down into the cellar. A wife that he was going down into the ceilar. A few minutes later she heard the report of a pistol, and, rushing to the cellar, she found her husband lying on the floor with the pistol in his hand. An ugly wound in the temple told where the fatal hall had gone.

Fuelding was about thirty-three years old. He had been somewhat despondent for some time on account of the falling off in his business.

NO GOLD CLAUSE IN NEWARK BONDS. The Finance Committee of the Common Council of clause inserted in the public school bonds to be issued by the city. The amount is \$100,000. A resolution was adopted by the committee that no gold clause should be inserted in any bonds of the AMONG THE ORANGES.

MUSIC HALL. DISCIPLINE AS STRICT AS IN THE REGULAR THE WATCHUNG RAILROAD SECURES A STAY OF SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS FOR DECORATED WHEELS

PROCEEDINGS-VERNON L. DAVEY DE-CLINES THE OFFER OF PLACE

IN THE NEWARK SCHOOLS.

The management of Orange Music Hall is making a number of important changes in the interior of the hall, that will place it on a par with the best theatres of the country. A contract has been made with George R. Boyce, the electrician, to wire the entire auditorium and stage of the hall for incandescent lights. These are to be equipped in the best possible manner, with alternating red, white and blue globes, so that colored effects may be produced at will. By the use of a "dimmer" it will be possible to vary the light from sixteen candle-power for each lamp down to less than half

a candle-power.

The Watchung Railroad Company, which has been sued by the East Orange Board of Health and against which judgment has been obtained, has seagainst which joint and against which joint against which are proceedings. The case will come up for argument at the November term of the Sue Court, and a decision will be handed down in February.

The tunnel under the Montrose-ave, crossing of the South Orange and Maplewood Railway's trolline, which had been filled with water since last winter, has been at last pumped out. Arrangements are being made to have the bottom of the tunnel relaid with cement in such a way that it will stand the pressure of the water. work will be difficult of accomplishment, but competent engineers say that there is no reason why the tunnel cannot be made absolutely water-tight. The Calvary Methodist Church, of East Orange, has extended a call to the Rev. Dr. J. A. Buchtel

has extended a call to the Rev. Dr. J. A. Buchtel, of Indianapolis, to become its pastor in the spring. The call is made now because Dr. Buchtel's conference meets in September. He must be dismissed from that conference before he can come East and unite with the Conference of Newark.

Vernon L. Davey, superintendent of the East Orange schools, has been complimented by the offer of the associate superintendency of the Newark schools. Mr. Davey's friends will be glad to learn that he has decided not to accept the offer.

Mrs. Horace E. Kimball, of Essex-ave, has gone to the Bay View House, Keyport, N. J., for the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Murray Richmond, of Burnetst. East Orange, are at Amesbury, Mass.

Dr. and Mrs. John Hammond Bradshaw are at Block Island.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Sloane and family, of Halsted st. East Orange.

woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Hawkesworth and family, of Main-st., East Orange, and Mrs. Emily G. Kirtiand are at Jamestown, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Tredwell Cleveland and family, of Mountain Ridge, West Orange, have gone to Magnolia Mass.

Mrs. Edwin B. Houghton, of Orange-st, East Orange, Is at the Arlington Hotel, Atlantic City. Mrs. William P. Dane, of Woodland-ave., Glen Ridge, and family have gone to the Adirondacks. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew J. Dotger, of Montroseave., South Orange, are at Saratoga Springs. Mr. and Mrs. A. Arthur Richmond, of Park-st. East Orange, have gone to Foss's Beach, Mass. Mrs. Wilberforce Freeman and the Misses Freeman, of Main-st., have gone to Martha's Vineyard.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Allen and family, of Raymond-ave., Montrose, are at Cape May. The Rev. Dr. John Y. Dobbins, of Calvary Meth-odist Church, of East Orange, has some with his family to Haines Falls, in the Catskills. Mr. and Mrs. amzi Smith, of North Grove-st.

are out announcing that Miss Jessie M. out and George W. Arnold will be married home of the bride, in Lakeside-ave, on August 26.

Mrs. Peter Wolt, of High-st., is at Squirrel Island, Maine. Miss Emma Wolt accompanies her.

MONTCLAIR.

The engagement has recently been announced of Miss Jennie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jaques D. Hegeman, and W. D. Sutton, both of Montelair. Miss A. M. Owen was the only woman who entered in the golf competition for the secretary's prize, open to women only, on Thursday afternoo spite of the heat Miss Owen made a score of 117, without a handicap.

Larry Chittenden, the "Poet Ranchman," of

Austin, Tex., is spending a few weeks in Mont clair, which was his former home. The new St. Paul's Baptist Church has called

to its pulpit the Rev. W. I. Johnson, formerly of the Union Baptist Church, Sparrow Point, Md. A delightful lawn party was held under the auspices of the ladies of St. Luke's Chapel at the home of James Owen, in Christopher-st., on Wednesday evening. The grounds were decorated with Japanese lanterns, and an impromptu string erchestra rendered selections through the evening.

About sixty guests were present. The Union Baptist Church will open a campmeeting service on Monday, August 17, in a large tent at Harrison and Virginia aves. The services will be conducted every afternoon and evening, all day Sunday, with a special daily song service, until

day Sinday, with a special spe

MORRISTOWN.

Miss Marion Stockton, of Philadelphia, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Stockton, in Kitch-

Miss Eleanore Hall, of Kahdena, is spending several weeks with friends at Charlotte, "Vt Miss Mary Adrain Hall, of Wetmore-ave.,

spending the month of August at Jamestown, R. I. Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Axtell, of Court-st., are visiting Mrs. Axtell's parents at Stratford, Conn. Mrs. H. W. Buxton and the Misses Buxton, of Perry-st, are occupying their cosey cottage at Bay Head, N. J. Mrs. George F. Stone and her daughter, Miss Head, N. J.

Mrs. George, F. Stone and her daughter, Miss Emma Stone, are at Saranuc Lake, in the Adirondacks, and will remain there for several weeks. The engagement is announced of Daniel Jamieson, ir., of this city, to Miss Margaret Suydam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Suydam, of Roseville, N. J.

PATERSON.

Miss Helen Tracy is the guest of Miss Florence Tallman at Spring Valley. Miss Agnes Johnston has returned from several weeks' outing at the Delaware Water Gap.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Joraleman and family have
returned to California after two months' sojourn in

Miss Griggs, daughter of Governor Griggs, has

been the guest of Judge Frank Fort's family in East Orange Postmaster and Mrs. Demarest are visiting

friends in Goshen. Mrs. D. Foster and Miss Bessie Foster are at

Misses Nellie, Jennie and Kitty Kienit are at Sayville, Long Island.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Christic and children have removed to their summer cottage at Pompton

removed to their summer cottage at Pompton Plains.

Mrs J. H. Hartmein and daughter Rosalind are spending the summer at Lake Hopatcong.

Park Commissioner and Mrs. L. A. Plaget have returned from an outing in the Catskills.

The Misses Ruth and Edna Meaple have returned from a month's sojourn in Rockland County.

The Paterson Outing Club, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nussey, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bush, Dr. and Mrs. Atkinsen and Mr. and Mrs. Makepeau, have gone to their delightful new clubhouse at Greenwood Lake for August.

Mrs. Garret A. Hobart and "Junior" are at the Hotel Breslin, Lake Hopatcong.

NEW-BRUNSWICK.

Lawrence Runyon, Jr., was the winner at the seventh bi-weekly handleap tournament of the New-

Saturday.

Henry L. Janeway and daughter, Mrs. H. Weston, Abraham P. Cox and N. A. Schrader sailed for Europe on the Paris on Wednesday.

Brunswick Golf Club on the Livingston-ave, links on

Arranam r. Cox and S. A. Schmider sahed for Enrope on the Parls on Wednesday.

Colonel Jacob J. Janeway is attending the Moody
Bible Conferences at Northfield.

The Rev. H. Page Dyer has begun his duties as
rector of St. Luke's Episcopal parish at Metuchen.

The order transferring Lieutenant Edward A.
Ransom, jr., of the American Volunteers, to Middletown, Conn., has been recalled, Lieutenant Ransom
will remain in charge of the corps here.

The United States torpedo boat Cushing passed
this city on Saturday atternoon on her way from
Philadelphia to the Brooklyn Navy Yard.

A local board of the New-Jersey Children's Home
Society was organized on last Sunday at the George's
Road Paptist Church. The officers of the new Board
are: President, Mrs. Thomas W. Buckalew; vicepresidents, Mrs. Borut Stevenson, Mrs. Alexander
Kennedy and Mrs. William S. Gilliland; treasurer,
Mrs. Alonzo Bowman, secretary, Mrs. Abram
Bowne. The Rev. W. W. Knox, pastor of the First
Presbyterian Church of New-Brunswick, is president
of the New-Jersey society.

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The New-Jersey society are at Ising Long Island, harles B. Herbert, who has been in Colorado for health, has returned to this city. He is much im-

New-Brunswick Boat Club throughout the remainder of the season will give weekly entertaliaments every Wednesday evening at the boathouse. The committee on entertaliament consists of William H. Price, George A. Viehmann, Dr. Frank L. Hindle, Alfred Van Nest and C. Herbert Miller.

Antonio W. Evans, a well-known blevelist of this city, proposes on Monday to lower his own record of twelve hours and twenty minutes for 200 miles.

PLAINFIELD.

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HIS PLACE IN LINE.

Plainfield, Aug. 8 (Special).-Last week's bicycle parade was such a flattering success and gave so much pleasure to the people who witnessed it, that arrangements are being made for another and larger parade, to be held on September 5, the Sat-

from towns near by will come to this city to wit-Souvenir buttons will be given to all who enter the parade, and there will be special prizes of sufficient value to attract widespread attention. A special effort will be made to induce cyclists to ride decorated wheels in unique uniforms. It is also proposed to offer a valuable prize for the club turning out the largest number of wheelmen and making the finest appearance in the line. The committee in charge of the necessary arrangements for the parade is composed of Edward White, J. "Fred" McDonald, Horace J. Martin, Richard S. Stevens, Lewis G. Timpson, H. E. Rider, F. L.

urday preceding Labor Day. It will start at 5 p.

m., and it is believed that thousands of visitors

L. B. Woolston, "Nate" Titsworth, M. F. Elderton, T. J. Carey and Charles B. Morse. Miss Kathryn Krymer, contraits soloist of the choir of Dr. Madison C. Peters's Church, New-York City, will sing solos at the Y. M. C. A. meeting on Sunday at 4:15 p. m. The Rev. Dr. James F. Riggs, of New-Brunswick, will address the

C. Martin, C. C. Lister, W. H. Rogers, W. L. Price,

Among the guests at the Revere House are Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Cranford, Miss Elliot and H. C. Lucas, of Orange; W. Grobecker, Mr. and Mrs. M. Fairchild, the Rev. Urlah D. Gulick, of New-York; W. R. Meakle and H. B. Belcher, of Paterson, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Connell and H. I. Paterson, of Lockport; A. W. W. Evans, Miss Nichols, R. W. Evans and Miss B. F. Evans, of New-Brunswick; W. E. Banks, of Milton, Penn., I. E. Denton and son, of Madison; the Rev. Daniel Evans, the Rev. Alexander Merritt and F. L. Wil-

Mr. and Mrs. William Crosby, of Vergennes,

Son.

Mr. and Mrs. William Crosby, of Vergennes, Vt., have issued invitations to the wedding of their daughter. Miss Katherine Crosby to J. William Gerno, of East Third-st., this city. The wedding will be ceiebrated on Wednesday evening, August 12, at 8 o'clock, at St. Peter's Church, Vergennes, Vt.
The Young Men's Christian Association baseball players are making a creditable effort to give Plainfield a good article of baseball, and have been wonderfully successful so far this season. John MacLaughlin, however, who is acting as manager, says they are not paying expenses. Baseball enthuslasts appear to have become more interested in the bicycle than in the National game.

Miss Caroline Hall, daughter of David P. Hall, of Central-ave., who has been abroad several years studying art, bas joined her family at Newport, where they are spending the summer.

General James S. Negley, of West Seventh-st., has gone West for an indefinite period. It is understood that he will deliver a few addresses in the interests of McKinley and Hobart while he is absent.

There have been several dinner parties at Mountain Park Inn last week, given by Plainfield people as well as by visitors from New-York and other places. Among the arrivals for the week are A. W. Egbert, William Dutcher and Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Harper, of New-York Mrs. Ritter and Mr. and Mrs. Lockwood, Miss Lockwood, Frederick Lockwood, George E. Meludy, A. G. Armstrong, E. E. Bush, Clarence J. Detwitter and Charles H. Detwitter, of Jersey City, F. M. Voorhees and Frank Bergen, of Elizabeth, R. J. Winger, of Providence, R. Li R. I. Stevens and M. Bell, of Troy, N. Y.; George Cortwright, of Paierson, Mrs. Lupton, of Perth Amboy: A. G. A. Marsh Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Whitney, the Retyney City, F. M. Sushnell, Mr. and Mrs. Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Whitney, the Retyney City of Paierson, Mrs. Lupton, of Perth. Amboy: A. G. A. Marsh Mr. and Mrs. Bestman, the Rev. and Mrs. George H. Whitney, the Retyney City of Paierson.

SUMMIT.

The engagement of Miss Margaret Currier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Currier, of Su mit, and J. Frederick Taylor, of New-York, has

The Republicans of Summit are making arrangements for the organization of a McKinley nd Hobart club. Hose Company No. 2 is preparing for its annual uting on the Shrewsbury River in September. A dance was given at the Hotel Beechwood

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The guists of the Park House gave a progressive eachte party on Friday evering.

The managers of the Summit Fresh Air and Convalescent Home gave an afterneon tea at the Home grounds in Pine Grove.

A prohibition club was organized on Tuesday evening last in Howard Hall. Joel G. Van Case is president, and Dr. John Burling secretary-treasurer. The Rev. Dr. Charles S. Ryman, pastor of the Methodist Church, is at the Twin Lakes, Pike

Methodist Church, is at the Twin Lakes, Pike County, Penn. Ex-Governor George Hoadly, of Ohio, who has been staying at the Hotel Beechwood with his family, sailed for Europe on Wednesday.

Mrs. Tait is visiting her son in Albany.

Robert Willmont is at Keyport. Mrs. Young and Mrs. Hammond, of Easton, Pa., are guests of Mrs. Whitfield Mundy, of Durham-

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Prickitt are in the Catskills.

Miss Sheppard, of Chicago, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Whitman at "The Towers."

The Rev. and Mrs. John Howard Rayen, of the Reformed Church, are at Wellesley, Mass.

N. L. Schenck is at Asbury Park.

Mrs. C. B. Schenck and Mrs. W. S. Rule are vis-

Mrs. C. B. Schenck and Mrs. W. S. Rule are vis-ling relatives at Jamesburk.

The Rev. H. Page Dyer, formerly of Philadel-phia, took charge of St. Luke's Episcopal Church on last Sunday as rector.

The Christian Endeavorers of the Presbyterian Church gave a "Convention Social" on Monday night.

BAYONNE.

Mayor and Mrs. William C. Farr are at Asbury Mr. and Mrs. Torbett, of Washington, D. C.,

are guests of Mrs. Joseph H. Snyder, of West Thirty-fifth-st. Members of Company I, 4th Regiment, N. G.

N. J. last week visited the State's military reser-vation at Sea Girt for rife practice. The Rev. Charles Harris Jones and Dr. Samuel Myers are enjoying a fortnight's vacation in Yoya Scotia.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fryer, of Avenue D and Mrs. West Seventh-st. are the hosts of Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Bagnall, of Baltimore.

Having served seven years as an active member of Independence Fire Association, Herman I. Voss has had his name enrolled on the list

L Voss has had his name enrolled on the list of exempt members.
Dr. William H. Mitchell, of West Eighth-st., and Charles H. Hosford, of West Fifth-st., are in the Adirondacks.
Miss Minnie Van Winkle, of West Fifth-st.; tiss Nelie Muller, of Avenue C, and Misses Florace Howell and Ella Field, of the Third Ward, rest Asbury Park.
Union services will be held this month by the ongregations of the Bergen Point Reformed and irst Presbyterian Churches. To-day the worthppers will occupy the former edifice.

BLOOMFIELD. The Rev. J. F. Goodwin, of Gienridge, has gone

o Maine for his vacation. The Rev. E. A. White and family are at the

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Wolden are at Niagara Falls.

Julius Gadsden and wife are at Sag Harbor. Julius Gadsden and wife are at Sag Harbor.
The Second Ward Republican Club went to
Greenwood Lake, N. Y., on Wednesday.
The children of the late Wesley B. Corby have
filed contest to his will, alleging undue influence.
The bell tower in the rear of the Essex Hook and
Ladder Company house has been put in a safe
condition. The ringing of the bell at 9 o'clock
every right has been resumed.
Mrs. C. W. Powers and daughter are at Asbury
Park. Park. The Misses Minnie and Florence Hall are at

Ocean Greve.

James F. Pearce and Robert Thomas have gone to the Thousand Islands.

SOUTH AMBOY. J. T. Carrigan, of Paterson, with his family and party of friends, is enjoying tent-life at Cedar

amp. Traver's Beach, near Morgan station. Miss Louise Perrine, of Spotswood, who has been visiting Miss Parker, of Main-st., has returned Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Parisea and daughter will

pend the month of August at Ingramsville, Penn. Hamilton Conover, of Landcombe, is spending the summer at Bernardsville.

Miss Augusta Yehling is visiting Miss Disbrow,

Miss Augusta Yening is Visiting Miss Distrow,
Miss M. P. Willetts is speading a month at Poland Spring House, South Poland, Me.
Mr. William Spice has returned from a visit of
two months among friends in England.
The Perth Amboy Aldermen having granted
Major Rutman the use of Fayette-st. for a ferry
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Miss Frazee, who has been visiting Miss Cadmus at the "Lawns," returned to her home in Jersey City on Wednesday.

C. J. Voorhees has returned from Highland Beach, where he has been spending his vacation. The usual number of salt water day visitors was in town on Saturday, and spent the day in bathing and dancing.

Last Saturday Miss Lulu Chase treated her young friends to a delightful salt on the steam launch Suanee. Among those favored were the Misses Mida and Ruby Slover, Effie Pimiott, Essie



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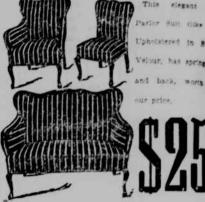
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HOBOKEN.

Miss Louise Sherwood and George Q. Paterson were married at 5 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon in the Church of Our Lady of Grace, in Willow-ave. Hoboken. The Rev. Charles J. Kelly, the parish priest, performed the marriage rites.

Mrs. Herman P. Heydt, of No. 1,117 Washington-st., Hoboken, died on Wednesday at Orange, where

st. Hoboken, died on Wednesday at Orange, where she was spending the summer. Funeral services were held at her home on Friday evening.

The members of the Jugend Verein of the German Evangelical Church gave a trolley party yesterday afternoon to Coytesville and return.

Castle Point Circle, No. 173, Companions of the Forest, gave an enjoyable lee cream party at Hol-stein's Hall, at First and Bloomfield sts., on Friday evening.

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The Valencia Boat Club gave a monthly sociable on Wednesday evening.

Miss Annie Bertrand and George Ross, of Union Hill, were married in the parsonage of the Columbia Street Reformed Church by the Rev. J. Justis on Wednesday night.

The ground surrounding the Union Place Methodist Episcopal Church, in Union Hill, presented a pretty picture Tuesday evening when the congressation gave a lawn party. Chinese lanterns, flags and bunding adorned the lawns, and the scene was made doubly attractive by the charming ladies who served lot cream, cake and lemonade.

The twenty-fifth anniversary of the institution of Pythagoras Lodge, No. 122, K. of P., of Jersey City, was celebrated at Krobel's Boulevard Park, North Bergen, on Thursday, Garfield Lodge, No. 27, and Bergen, on Thursday, Garfield Lodge, No. 27, and Bergen, on Thursday, Garfield Lodge, No. 27, and Bergen, Silier, of No. 56 Hackensack Plank Road, and Adolph Silier, of No. 56 Hackensack Plank Road, and Adolph Silier, of No. 56 Hackensack Plank Road, and Adolph Silier, of No. 56 Hackensack Plank Road, and Hill, were married on Wednesday night, the Rev. H. Schoppe officiating.

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The hot weather of the last week caused a large exodus from eJrsey City to the mountains and the seashore. The majority sought relief in Asbury Park. Among those registered there last week were Mayor and Mrs. Wanser, Prosecutor and Mrs. C. H. Winfield, ex-Assemblyman and Mrs. John P. Feeny, Warden and Mrs. Edmund Mitchell, Mrs. George Maes and Miss Maes, Mrs. W. Reed, Mrs. John A. Walker, Garret A. Vreeland, Mrs. F. E. Menagh, Mrs. S. Shaffer, Mrs. J. J. Duffy, Mrs. Floyd R. Lefferts, Mrs. S. B. Ellis, Miss Emily Menagh, Mrs. S. Shaffer, Mrs. J. J. Duffy, Mrs. Floyd R. Lefferts, Mrs. S. B. Ellis, Miss Emily Turner, George H. Cerfield, J. G. Shannon, E. J. Morris, J. G. Landwehr, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ferguson, Mrs. W. L. Pyle, Miss Emily Appar, the Misses Caroline and Madeline Shafer, Mrs. M. E. Pohle and the Misses Ella, Marion and Ida Pohle, Pohle and the Misses Ella, Marion and Ida Pohle, George H. Moller, F. Youmans, E. E. Haas, William H. Van Wort, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Cook, Mrs. Sharrott, Deputy County Clerk and Mrs. E. W. Gritten.

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John J. Griffin, counsel to the County Board of Freeholders, and his family; Miss M. C. Shanley, secretary to School Superintendent Snyder. Miss Agnes Dolan, Miss Daisy McGuinness and Frincipal Kelly of School No. 4 are at Far Bockaway.

Among the prominent Jersey City people at Belmar are Chief of Folice Murphy and family, ex-Judge Alian L. McDermott and Mrs. McDermott, Commissioner Boltwood and family, Commissioner Heirtze and family and Assemblyman Rumple and family.

The departures for the Catskill Mountains last week included Mrs. J. W. Grainger and family, Mrs. Byram and Miss Neille Byrnes, Miss Mary E. Stone, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cook, Mrs. W. Thorpe and family, ex-Assemblyman and Mrs. W. H. Drake.

Drake.

Many well-known society people are at Narragansett Pler. Among them are former Judge and
Mrs. Marcus L. Beach, the Misses Bray, Mrs.
George Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Smith D. Mackey,
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Case and Mrs. Charles Wool-

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Case and Mrs. Charles Woodsey.

The delegation at Long Branch has been increased by the arrival of the Rev. Father Fallon, curate of St. Michael's Roman Catholic Chorchi Otto Sampter and family, and Morris Wolfson.

Among others who left the city last week were the Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Stodlard, for the White Mountains; Judge Nevius, for Minnesota: Harry Mountains; Judge Nevius, for Minnesota: Harry Minfield, counsel to the County Board of Health, for a six weeks' trip to Canada; Judge Puster, Sullivan County John J. Yoorhees, Atlantic Highlands; Judge Hudspeth, Adfrondacks; School Superintendent Henry Snyder and family, Easton, Penn.; the Rev. and Mrs. Morris D. Church, Orange County, N. Y.; Principal J. C. Rhinehart & School No. 29, Portland, Penn.

NEWARK, N. J.